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COLLEGE FACULTY BULLETIN

April 24, 1959

April 24	Glee Club Concert. . . . .	Auditorium
April 25	Crew at Rutgers Baseball at Haverford Track at Penn Relays	
April 26	Signum Fidei Award to Dr. Joseph J. Toland Glee Club Concert	Auditorium
April 27	Baseball at P.M.C. Golf. . .Haverford Tennis at P.M.C.	
April 29	Track. . .Lafayette	
May 1	Soph Cotillion. . . . . Academic Affairs Committee Meeting at 12:30 p.m. Golf at Villanova	Barclay Hotel
May 2	Baseball at Villanova Track. . .West Chester	
May 4	College Council Meeting at 7:30 p.m. Faculty Science Club Meeting - 6 to 8 p.m. . . . .	Browsing Room
May 5	Lecture - Vincent R. Tortora at 3:30 p.m. . . . .	Auditorium
May 6	Masque's Production, "Finian's Rainbow" at 8:30 p.m. Fine Film Program. . . . .	Library Lounge

ALL MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE PRESENTATION OF THE SIGNUM FIDEI AWARD TO DR. JOSEPH J. TOLAND, JR., SUNDAY, APRIL 26. THE AWARD WILL BE PRESENTED BY JOHN A. GUISCHARD, PH.D., PRESIDENT OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION. RESERVATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING EITHER JOHN L. McCLOSKEY OR MARY MARGARET MEEHEN. COST OF THE TICKET IS \$2.00.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

The following is the program for Founder's Day, May 15:

4:00 p.m. - Solemn High Mass, Church of the Holy Child  
5:30 p.m. - Academic Convocation in College Hall  
7:00 p.m. - Dinner in the College Field House

All members of the Faculty are expected to take part in the academic procession for Solemn High Mass, as well as the Academic Convocation. All faculty members will receive specific directions within the next few days. You are requested to return the card which will be enclosed by May 1. Brother Dominic Luke, F.S.C., former president of La Salle, and now president of

St. John's College, Washington, D.C., and Glen Robertson, Sr., will receive Honorary Degrees.

Dress and Demeanor - Faculty members are once more reminded of their responsibility concerning student dress and demeanor.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN

The second annual Labor-Management Mass will be celebrated in the College Auditorium, Friday, May 1, the feast of St. Joseph, Worker, at 12:15 p.m. Since this date is also the First Friday of May, all classes will be suspended during the Mass from 12:10 until 12:45. All faculty members are encouraged to attend.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF THE COLLEGE

Thomas N. McCarthy, Ph.D., will be a member of the panel which will discuss, "Understanding Student Behavior," Wednesday, April 29, at Villanova University.

Francis E. Gleeson, a student in the School of Arts and Science, has been awarded a St. Thomas More Scholarship to St. John's University School of Law.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF ARTS AND SCIENCE

Department Chairmen in the School of Arts and Science are reminded of the meeting Tuesday, April 28, at 12:30 p.m., in C-207, to discuss the Graduate Record Examination.

FROM THE COUNSELING CENTER

Faculty members who are interested in an appointment in an educational institution abroad under either the Smith-Mundt or the Fulbright Act may obtain all necessary information in the Counseling Center.

The University of Pittsburgh has announced that fifty predoctoral and six to nine postdoctoral fellowships have been made available through the Andrew W. Mellon Educational and Charitable Trust. The predoctoral fellowships, together with the University's contribution of tuition, will have a value ranging from \$2700 to \$3700 each. The postdoctoral fellowships will carry a basic stipend of \$6000 each; in addition, there will be supplements for dependents, travel, and incidental costs of research.

The specific disciplines in which the fellowships will be granted are: Classics, English, Fine Arts, Modern Languages, Music, and Philosophy; Mathematics and Physics; and History and Sociology.

NOTES FROM THE FACULTY MEETING OF APRIL 15.

Presiding Officer: Rev. Brother Daniel Bernian, F.S.C.  
Secretary: John A. Guischard

The President commended Dr. John Luckas for his efforts in promoting the success of the de Tocqueville Lectures, Brother Augustine for his work with the sociological groups, the baseball team, and all others whose work merited

commendation and may not have been mentioned.

A new faculty salary scale will be announced by the end of the month. It will be enclosed with new contracts. Salary increases will range from about \$400 to \$1000 for the coming year. This raise will apply to both day and evening instructors and Department heads will receive compensation for their work.

The President noted that during the year 1959-60 Leonard Hall will be converted to classroom space. In 1960-61 the third floor of college hall will be available for classroom space and in 1961-62 the high school building will be converted to college classrooms.

Brother Daniel also said that office space would be allotted, as much as possible, in the same general area where an instructor teaches.

The President urges that attention to student dress is necessary if the tone of the college is to be improved.

An Academic Development Committee has been appointed by the President. This group will investigate such matters as scholarships, government aid programs, honors programs, special programs, etc. Chairman will hold post for one year term. Members of the committee: Dr. Courtney, Mr. Fitzgerald, Dr. Ward, Mr. Halpin, Brother Fidelian, Dr. Rudnitski, Brother James and Mrs. Most. Brother Fidelian will be chairman.

It was noted that the Centennial Drive will have its opening with a meeting of all interested groups on Wednesday, April 29. Kelly Associates are the promoters of the drive and Governor Lawrence will act as chairman.

The President noted that faculty members should endeavor to attend the daytime lectures which are given at the college.

The President wishes it to be known that there are only four authorized collections which are to be taken up in the classrooms. They are: Little Sisters of the Poor, the Missions, Propagation of the Faith, and Annual Giving.

Founder's Day will be celebrated on the feast of Saint John Baptist de La Salle, May 15.

The Alumni Signum Fidei award will be awarded this year to Doctor Toland on Sunday, April 26.

Brother G. Paul, Dean of Students, announced that this year's Baccalareate Mass will be held in the church of the Immaculate Conception.

Faculty members are urged to submit names of likely candidates for the role of student speaker at graduation.